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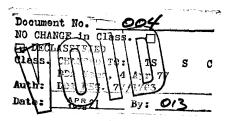
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- The Soviet Embassy in Buenos Aires is reported to have subsidized the purchase of a printing shop for Union Eslava to the extent of 80,000 pesos (about 20,000). Previous reports contained details of the purchase by Union Eslava of the anti-Communist Kurjer Polski establishment and noted that most pro-Communist Slav publications are now printed there.
- 2. The 80,000 pesos furnished Union Eslava by the Soviet Embassy represent quotas of 40,000 pesos each which the Ukrainian and Byelorussian communities found it impossible to contribute.
- 3. Union Eslava has asked the Polish Legation in Buenos Aires to pay a 25,000 peso quota in behalf of the Polish community. The Legation, however, has not made this payment on the grounds that it does not have sufficient funds.

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